

Yocum Ridge Trail #771

Recreation Opportunity Guide



Northwest
Forest Pass
Required
May 15-Oct 1



Distance..... 3.9 miles (one way)
Elevation..... 3900-6000 feet
Snow Free July to October



Trail Highlights: This trail is in the Mount Hood Wilderness Area, high on the west slope of Mt. Hood. Yocum Ridge trail climbs to one of the most pristine, fragile and accessible alpine meadows in the Mount Hood Wilderness. Close-up views of both Reid and Sandy Glaciers await the hiker at the end of the trail.

Trail Description: Yocum Ridge Trail climbs continuously for its full length. The trail begins at the junction with the Pacific Crest Trail #2000 (also called Timberline trail #600) approximately 0.6 mile north of Ramona Falls. The trail ends at 6000' elevation on the ridge. Hiking from the Ramona Falls Trailhead, it is just over 4 miles to the west end of the Yocum Ridge Trail.

Regulations & Leave No Trace Information:

- Wilderness Permits are required between May 15 and Oct 15.
- Group size is limited to 12. Stock are counted in the group size. For example, 3 people riding their own horse plus a spare horse in the group for packing would make a group of 7.

Leave No Trace

- Plan Ahead and Prepare: Prepare for extreme weather, hazards and emergencies.
- Travel and Camp on Durable Surfaces: Use established trails and campsites.
- Dispose of Waste Properly: Pack out all trash, leftover food and litter.
- Leave What You Find: Avoid introducing or transporting non-native species.
- Minimize Campfire Impacts: Use established fire rings & keep fires small.
- Respect Wildlife: Control pets at all times.
- Be Considerate of Other Visitors: Avoid loud voices and noises.

For information on **Leave No Trace**, go to www.LNT.org or call 1-800-332-4100

For current trail conditions and more recreation information go to:

<http://www.fs.usda.gov/mthood>

Map and driving directions on next page

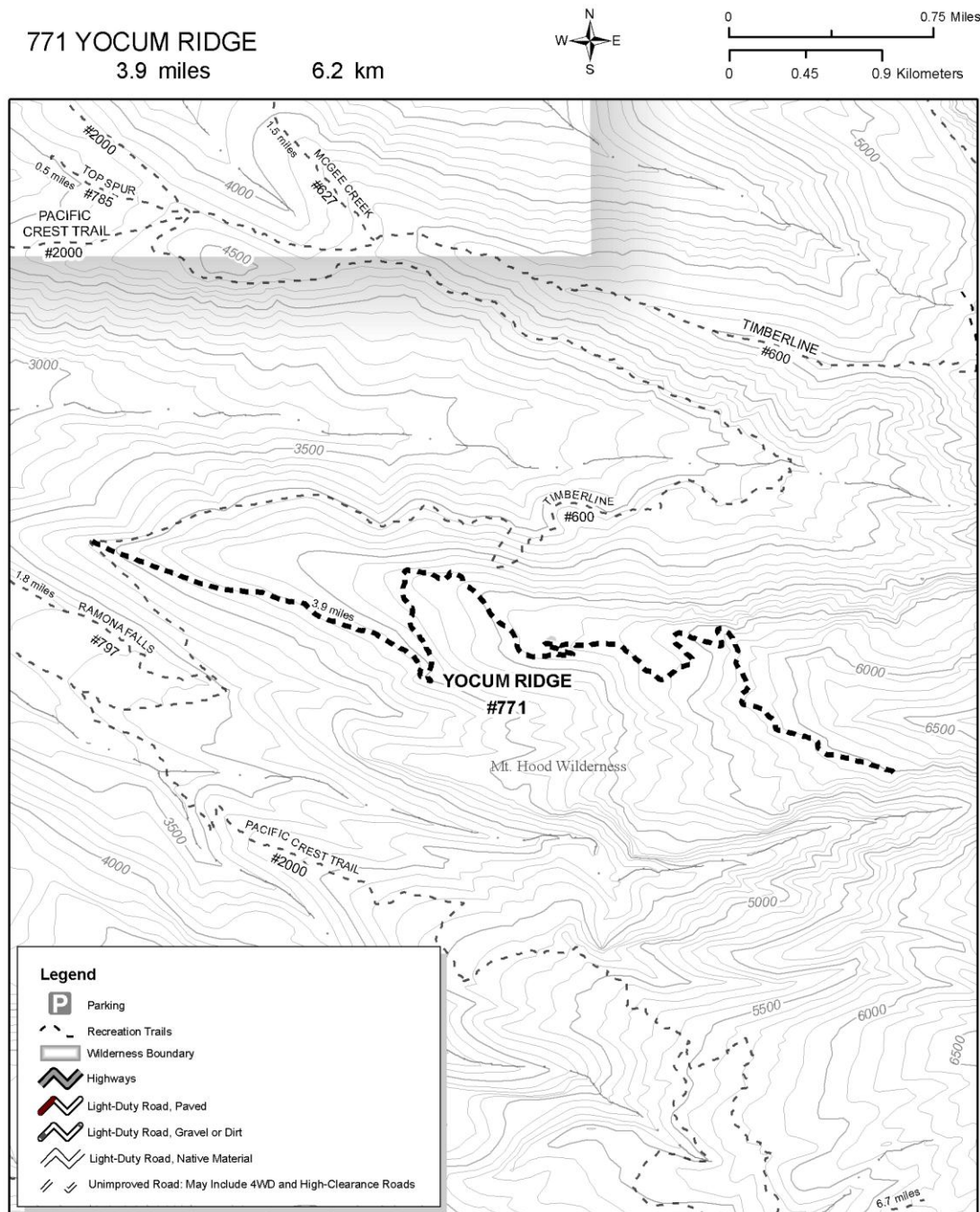
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Directions to Trailhead: This trail can be reached by hiking on the Ramona Falls Loop Trail #797 or the Pacific Crest Trail #2000 from Lolo Pass or Bald Mountain. Via Ramona Falls, follow US Highway 26 17.5 miles east of Sandy. Turn north on Lolo Pass Road (Road 18). Follow it 4 miles. Turn east (right) onto Road 1825 and continue 0.7 miles, cross a bridge and then continue 1.7 miles to a road junction. Bear left at the junction onto Road 1825-100, turn left and drive 0.3 mile. Take a left onto spur Road 1825-024 to a large open parking lot (0.2 mile), the trailhead for #770. Follow Sandy River trail #770 north for 0.6 mile to the junction with the PCT, then another 0.5 mile north to the junction with Ramona Falls #797. Follow Ramona Falls trail for 1.8 miles to the junction with the PCT. Follow the PCT 0.6 mile northwest to the trailhead at the west end of this trail #771.



Recommended maps: Zigzag Ranger District

